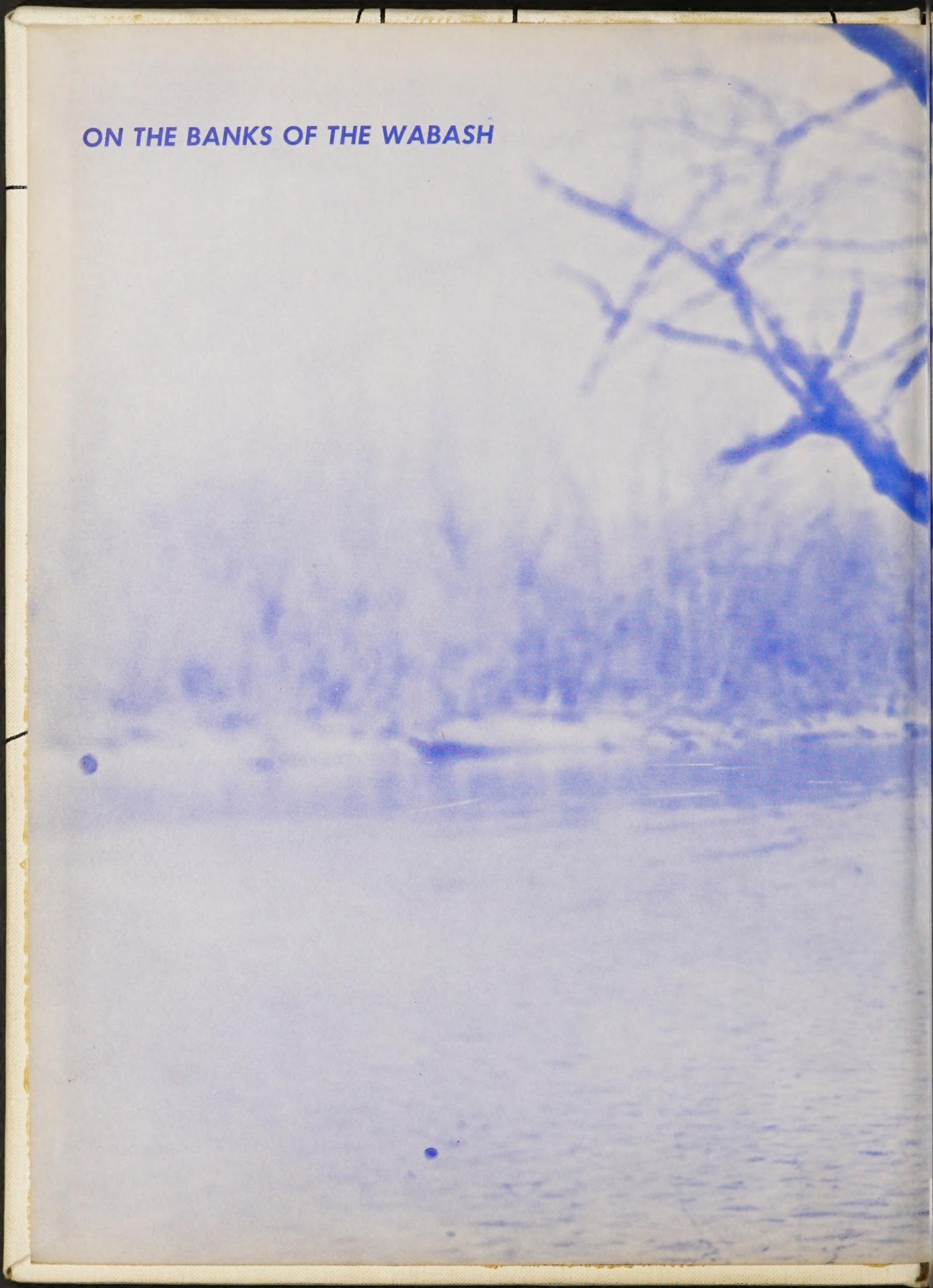


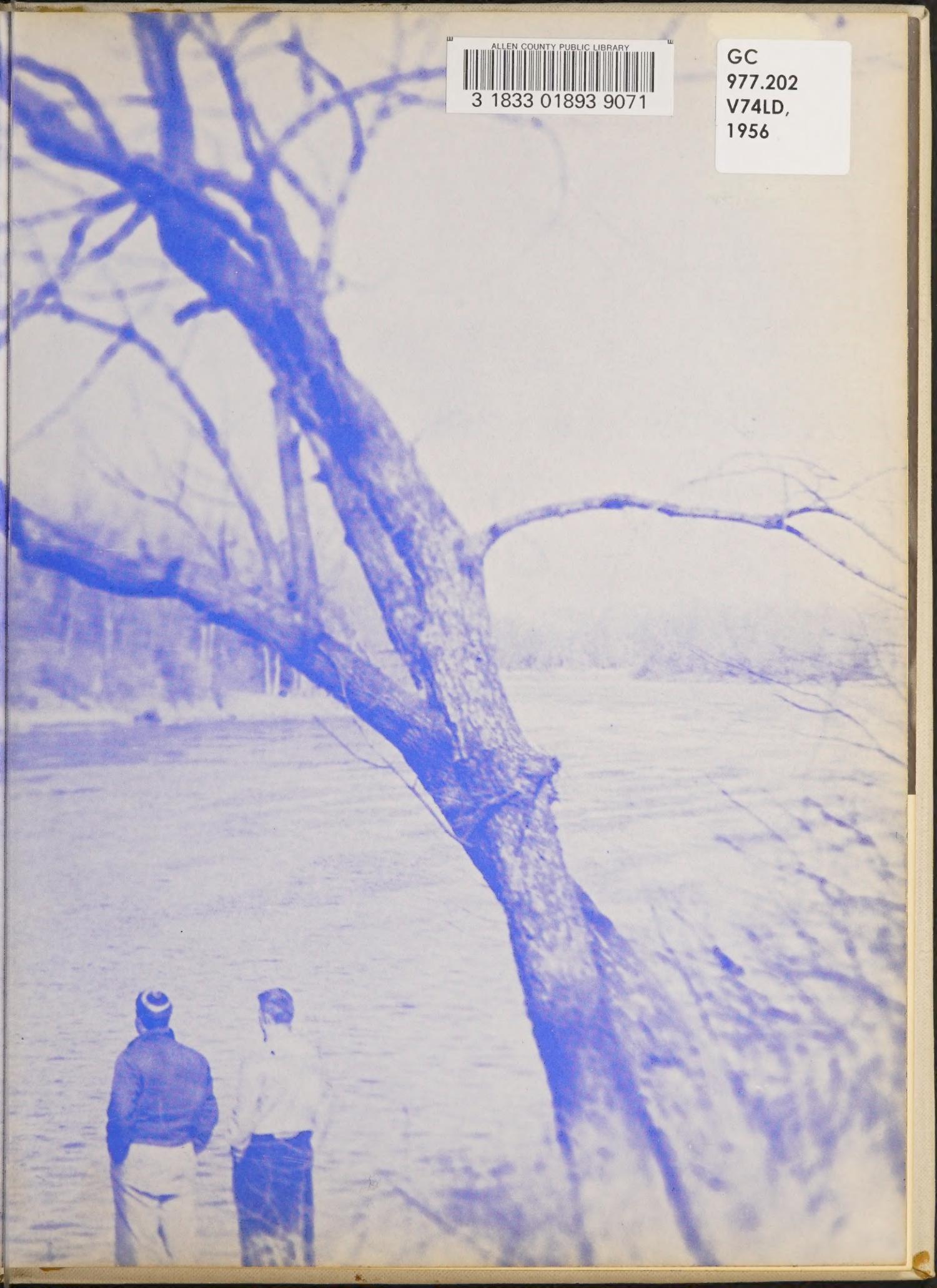


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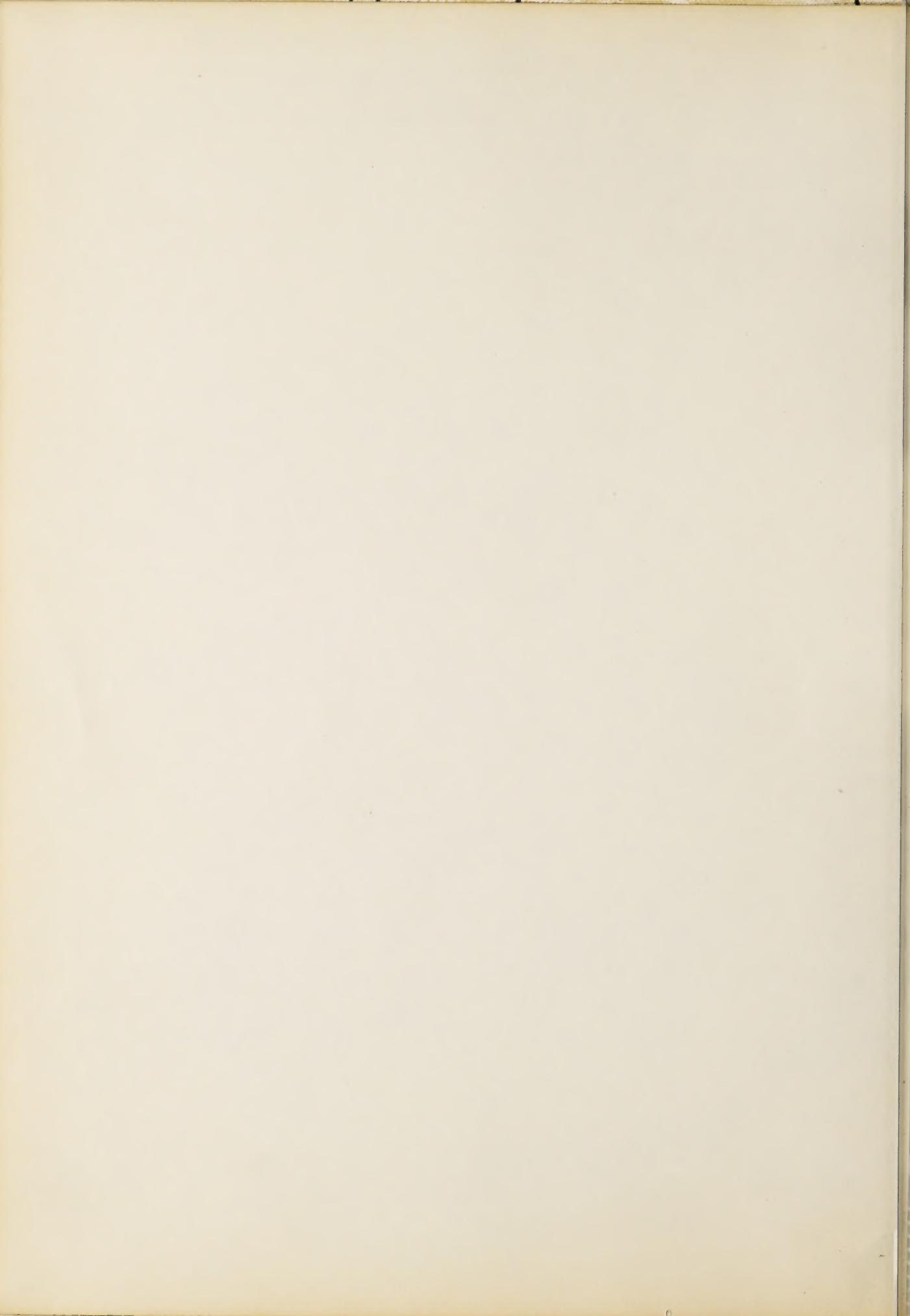


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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I feel that Vincennes University has made real strides this year in becoming a true community of learning. Faculty members, students, classrooms and libraries, all in one place, do not necessarily produce the creative atmosphere which is vital for college education.

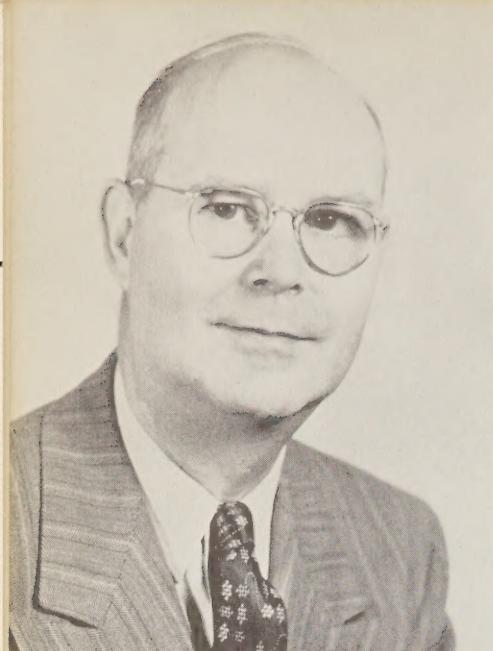
When faculty members seek the growth of the student instead of expounding a body of content, when students are truly in pursuit of knowledge and understanding instead of grades, when there comes to the campus an attitude eager for and expectant of great ideas that grip the soul with inspiration and discipline the mind with dedication, then a process of learning is present.

The academic year has brought us closer to this type of campus community. All this is to say in simpler terms that 1955-56 has been a good year at old V.U. To me, personally, it has been another thrilling year of working with our fine faculty and student body in the building of a true college community.

Sincerely,

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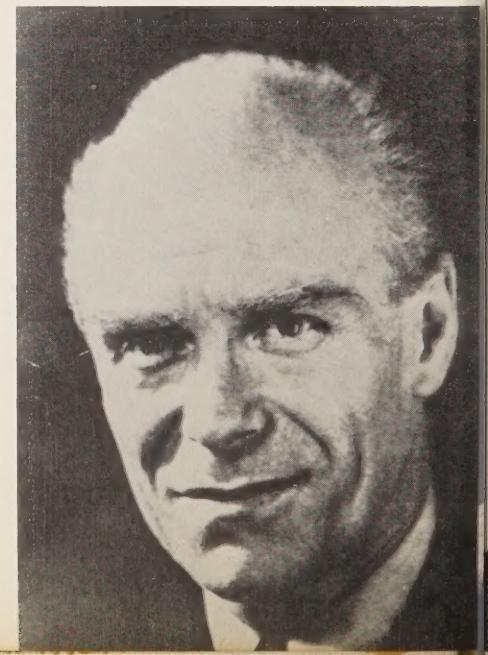


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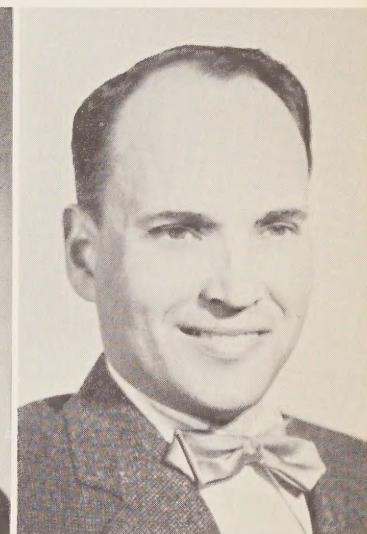
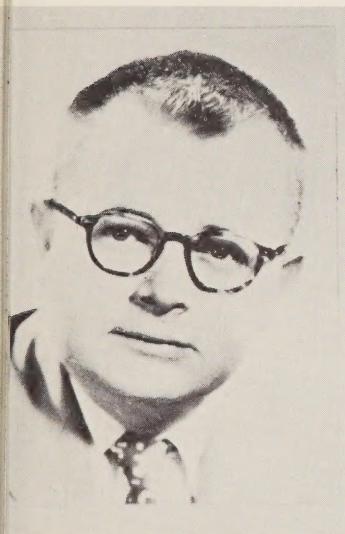
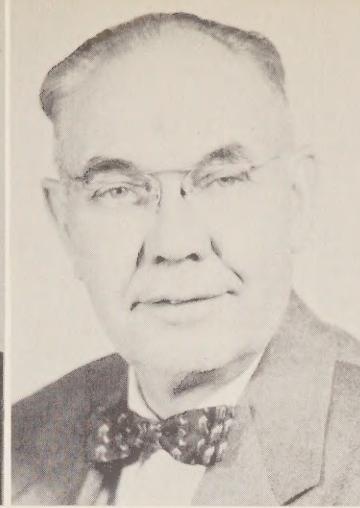
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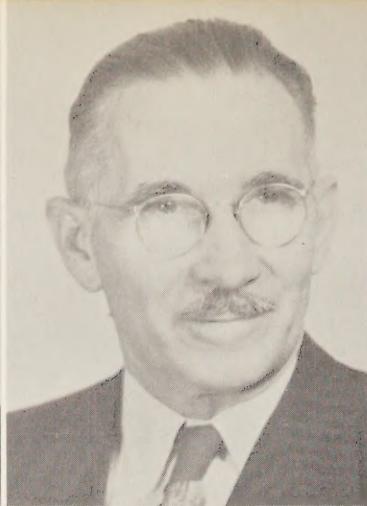


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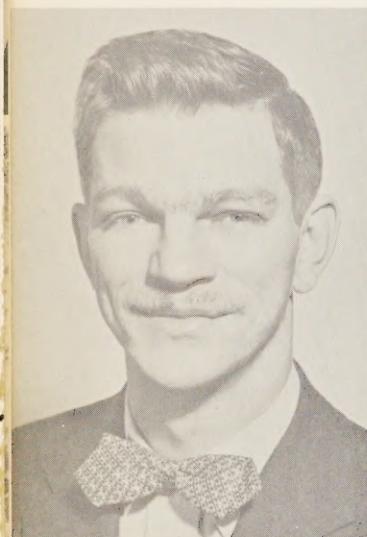
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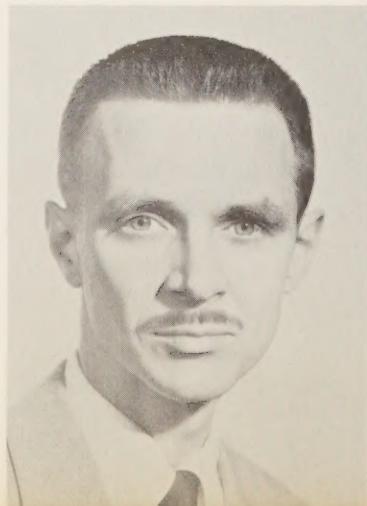
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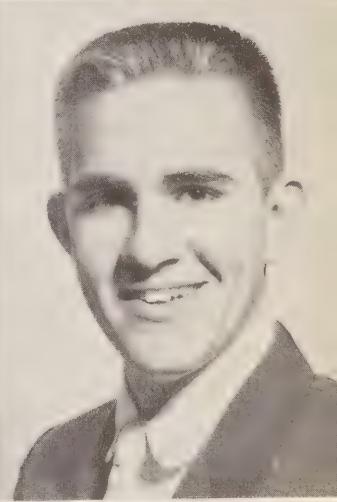
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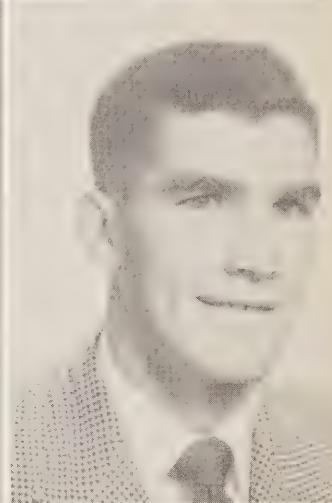


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WALDROP, GERALD
Flat Rock, Illinois



WALKER, FRED
Loogootee, Indiana

WATSON, MARY E.
Vincennes, Indiana

WEATHERS, THOMAS
Petersburg, Indiana

WELTON, GLORIA
Vincennes, Indiana



WHITE, WILMA
Vincennes, Indiana



WHITTAKER, RICHARD
Vincennes, Indiana



WILSON, SYLVIA
Carlisle, Indiana

WINTER, JON
Vincennes, Indiana

WISWALL, JOSEPH
Bridgeport, Illinois



WITHERSPOON, THOMAS
Petersburg, Indiana

WRIGHT, MYRA
Bridgeport, Illinois

WYATT, CARL
Petersburg, Indiana



YAGLE, JIMMIE
Sandborn, Indiana

YOUNG, KAY
Vincennes, Indiana

DOLL, MICHAEL
Olney, Illinois

FRESHMEN NOT PICTURED

HAROLD BELCHER, Vincennes

CHARLES BENELL, Shoals

MERLIN BRITTAIRN, Otwell

DAVID BYERS, Vincennes

NOEL CARIE, Vincennes

GAYLORD CLARKE, Vincennes

ARTHUR COPPLE, Washington

BILLY COX, Elnora

DONALD CULLOP, Bruceville

WILLIAM DOADES, Washington

ROBERT DODD, Vincennes

NORMAN EGGBRECHT, St .Francisville, III.

JACKIE GOFF, Flat Rock, III.

KENNETH GRAY, Washington

RICHARD HAMBY, Montgomery

JOHN HEINZ, Vincennes

CLINT HUTCHCRAFT, Vincennes

MARGARET KOEHL, Vincennes

ROGER LAMPTON, Vincennes

BEULAH LOW, Vincennes

LARRY McCRAY, Vincennes

PATRICK McEVILLY, Washington

VICTOR MEIER, Vincennes

KENNETH MILLIGAN, Bicknell

BARBARA MITCHELL, Johnstown, Penn.

MERVIN NOMADY, Bicknell

ROBERT PRICE, Vincennes

WILLIAM PRIDE, Washington

GUY RAY, Vincennes

WILLIAM REATH, Greenwood

DONALD RUFF, Petersburg

ANDREW SCHUETE, Washington

GEORGE SPANN, Louisville

EDWARD THOMAS, Vincennes

SAMUEL THOMPSON, Vincennes

DONALD TODD, Vincennes

CHARLES WALTON, Vincennes

ROBERT WELLS, Palestine, Ill.

EVERETT WELTON, Vincennes

LARRY YEAGER, Owensville



Elaine Fox, Phyllis Piper, Flossie Jordan, Mary Jane Gilliatt, Pat Johnson, Norma Henderson, Barbara Gallagher, Almeda Kemp, Joan Hocker, Joy Kahre, Marianne Span-

gle, Sharon Shadley, Karle Commer, Marilyn Newell, Judy Wendling, Marilyn Messel, Lisa Johnson, Phyllis Tiffany and Karen Stout.

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ORGANIZATIONS

Initiation into Alumni Organization





R. O. Wickham, Kay Miller, Nancy Cadwell, Marjorie McCormick, Ann Simmons, Myra Wright, Sue Gerhart, Elizabeth Bailey, Deborah O'Connor, Miss Carter, Tom Beister, Jim Reilly, David Whitfield, Larry Crewell, Jerry McGaughey, Fred Walker, Dick Beach, Nelson Whipkey, Dick Hutchinson, Harold Farmer, Joe Dillon.

STUDENT SENATE consists of representatives from all recognized student organizations on the campus. It acts on campus policies, holds elections, helps in student orientation and is a service group to the University in general.

PHI THETA KAPPA **NATIONAL HONORARY SCHOLASTIC ORGANIZATION**

R. O. Wickham, Phyllis Tiffany, Judy Black, Beverly Pugh, Valerie Jordan, John Fisher, Larry Hebert, Don Weidner, Larry Carter, Gary Tate, William Johnson, Tim Schmidt. Sponsor—Mr. J. Howard Hill.





Katie Beasley, Marilyn Lee, Rose Mary Rinderle, Mary Schlomer, Susan Reep, Deborah O'Conner, Wilma White, Pat Horrall, Beverly Pugh, Charlotte Myers, Opal Brock, Judith Niewald, Carole Miller, Vera Tougaw, Jerry Johnson, Gwen Boswell, Judy Black, Doris Beauchamp, Carole Murray.

ALPHA THETA CHI

was founded in 1950 by the merging of two previous sororities. All V.U. girls are eligible for membership, and may be initiated after completing one semester of college. Alpha Theta Chi endeavors to be of service to the University, and instill friendship and loyalty in its members.



Nancy Cadwell, Linda Grider, Sharon Fryer, Wally Herring, Marilyn Hobson, Sylvia Wilson, Barbara Mitchell, Agnes Miller. Second row: Miss Carter, Sponsor; Sandra Hedrick, Patsy McCammon, Mary Watson, Mary Benson, Clara Jordan, Ann Western, Marjory Evans, Mollie Jordan, Marjorie McCormick, Doris Howard, Helen Krueger, Myra Wright, Ann Simmons, Myrna McClaflin, Marilyn Horrall, Gloria Welton, Pat Rink, Janice Laue, Kay Young, Sally Ross, Sharon Rout, Jean Allegree, Suzette Castiaux, Judy Wendling, Kay Bastin, Mary Jane Fields, Jan Trent, Patty O'Neill, Loretta Vincent.





V.U. PLAYHOUSE

First row: Katie Beasley, Pat Horrall, Miss Loomis, Sponsor; Ruth Fisher. Second row: Larry Crewell, Sharon Rout, Opal Brock, Marjorie McCormick, Sharon Fryer, Beverly Pugh, Marilyn Lee, Elizabeth Bailey, Donna Wall, Dick Whittaker. Third row: Tom Davidson, Tom Beister, Larry Hebert, Larry Pipher, Bob Costello, Bill Dunham, James Croy, Don Weidner, Tom Miles.

V.U. Playhouse was reorganized in 1954 and at present includes a very active thirty members. Under the sponsorship and direction of Amy Goodhue Loomis, the club has presented this year such outstanding comedy-dramas as *The Devil's Disciple* by George Bernard Shaw, and *The Late Christopher Bean* by Sidney Howard. Six members of the playhouse have been elected to *Delta Psi Omega* honorary drama society in the past year. They are: Larry Hebert, John George, Sharon Fryer, Robert Costello, Thomas Davidson, James Croy, Donna Jean Wall, and Larry Crewell.

The Devil's Disciple by George Bernard Shaw was the first offering of the Playhouse in its new home. The spring play for the season was Sidney Howard's *The Late Christopher Bean*.





V.U. CHOIR

Kay Young, Sandra Hedrick, Janice Laue, Nancy Cadwell, Patty O'Neill, Doris Howard, Sally Ross, Donna Robinson, Miriam Corrie, Mary Watson, Pat Rink, Doris Beauchamp, Steve Peck, Jean Allegree, Carl Ruhlman, Bob Costello, Joe Jamison, Jerry Cassidy, Accompanist, Sue Gerhart; Director, Mary Hall McKee.

V.U. QUARTET

JOE JAMISON—Tenor

CARL RUHLMAN—Baritone

MIRIAM CORRIE—Alto

SUE GERHART—Accompanist

JEAN ALLEGREE—Soprano





Dave Whitfield, Johnny Rogers, Sharon Rout, Miss Carter, Sponsor; Mollie Jordan, Carl Nimnicht, Tom Wither-spoon, Harry Dagenhart, Jerry McGaughey, Dick Beach, John Boyd, Fred Walker, George Byers, Tom Davidson.

THE TRAIL BLAZER is the official student newspaper. It is published eight times a year by the journalism class plus various reporters assigned throughout the student body.

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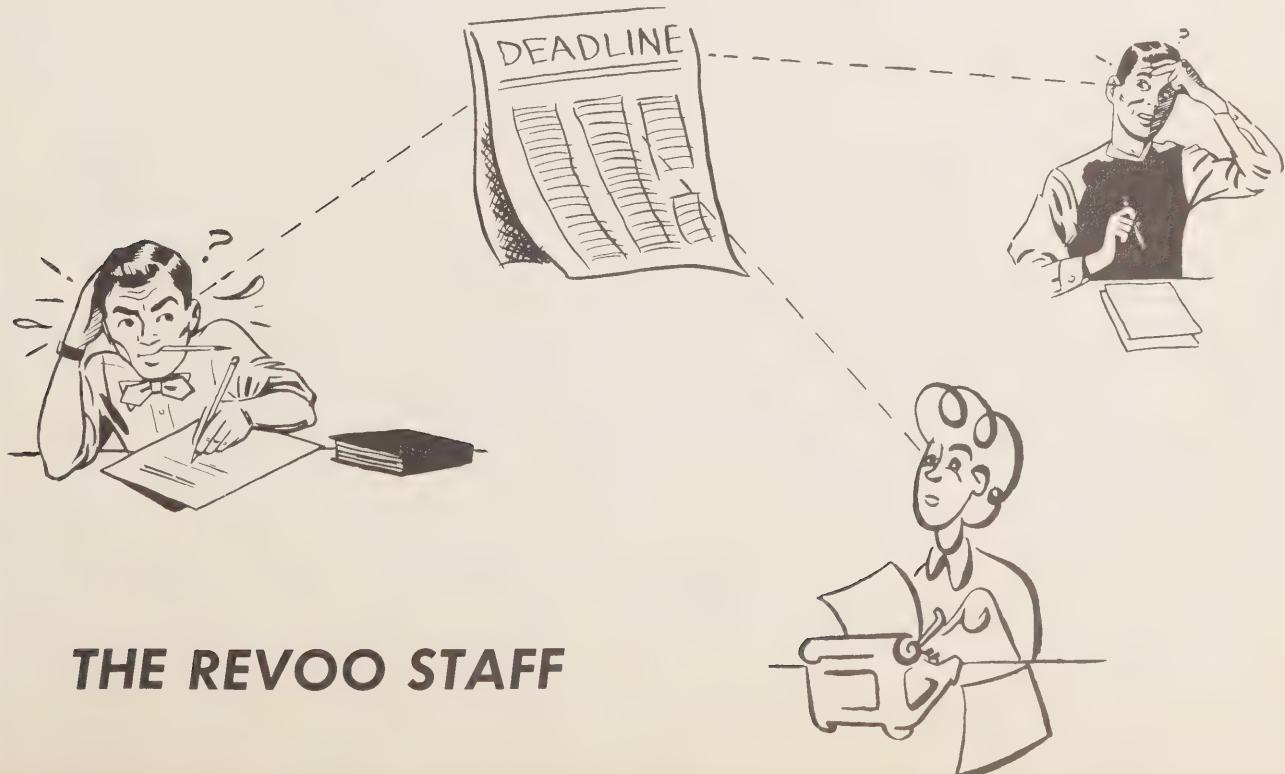
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Co-Editors, Sandra Hedrick, Jerry McGaughey, Mrs. McKee, Sponsor; Patty O'Neill, Sharon Rout, Sara Ross, Marilyn Lee, Paul Territo, Kay Miller, Tom Davidson, Don Perry, Jerry Niehaus. Not pictured: Jean Allegree, Myrna McClaflin, John Rogers, Frances Bruner, Steve Peck, Ann Western.



THE REVOO STAFF



NEWMAN CLUB

Kay Bastin, Judy Wendling, Patty O'Neill, Sally Ross, Mary Schlomer, Deborah O'Conner, Mary Watson, Rose Mary Rinderle, Suzette Castiaux, Marilyn Horral, Loretta Vincent, Pat Horral, Very Tougaw, Janice Laue, Jim Reilly, Bob Gross, Harry Rayman, Paul Territo, Dick Hutchison, Eugene James, Russell Fowler, Monsignor Paul Deery, Sponsor; Stanley Hinkle, Fred Walker, Jerry McGaughey, Joe Friend, Tom Bailey, Clarence Snyder, Mike Kirkwood, Larry Pipher, Bill Raymann, Bernie Neihaus, Pat O'Neill, Ronnie Todd, Jim Robbins, Tom Miles.

The Newman Club is the Catholic student organization on campus and is under the direction of Monsignor Paul Deery. Its purpose is to help students solve the problems that may arise in everyday life.

In addition to the regular meetings and activities this year, the Newman Club has had a Communion Breakfast on the first Sunday of each month. The officers for 1955-56 are: James Reilly, President; Jim Robbins, Treasurer; Debbie O'Conner, Secretary; and Theresa Bauer and Jerry McGaughey, Student Senate Representatives.



STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT

Barbara Goodwin, Marilyn Lee, Sandra Hedrick, Marlene Cates, Kathleen Gray, Donna Robinson, Susan Reep, Katie Jo Beasley, Linda Grider, Wally Herring, Nancy Cadwell, Jo Ellen McCord, Helen Krueger, Marjorie McCormick, Jean Allegree, Doris Howard, Ann Simmons, Myra Wright, Beverly Pugh, Mollie Jordan, Betty Purcell, Judy Boyd, Jerry Shafer, Wilma Phillips, Tom Davidson, Kay Miller, Harold Farmer, Miriam Corrie, Nelson Whipkey, Sue Gerhart, Ervin Williams, Barbara Mitchell, Dr. Boughton, Sponsor.

The Student Christian Association of Vincennes University has as its purpose the promotion of the Spiritual welfare on our Campus. We wish to help others to realize the Christian privileges and responsibilities that we have here at school. We acknowledge the problem of the busy way of life in our age but, still feel that time must be taken to uphold the Christian Principles we have received from our homes. This we must do if we are to be able to take our rightful place when we establish our own homes.

Our S.C.A. has held meetings in the excused class hour periods during the year. We were privileged to have Mr. Julius Thorn, one of the State Y.M.C.A. Secretaries, speak to our group. We are thinking of affiliating with the State S.C.A. Program. Among future plans is the sponsoring of a Vesper service to be held on Sunday afternoon for the entire college.

We appreciate the opportunities we have of meeting together for worship, to study, to share our problems, and for wholesome entertainment and fellowship. We offer this fellowship to all and especially new students who may need assistance in adjusting to college life. We welcome all denominations and strive to promote the growing feeling of Christian Brotherhood.



ALPHA IOTA UPSILON — MEN'S FRATERNITY

James Robbins, Bill Moriarty, Bill Dunham, Jim Reilly, Larry Crewell, Tom Beister, Officers. J. S. Fahr, Norman Marenholz, Don Perry, Jim Patton, Dale Dellinger, Bill Raymann, Bob Gross, Billy Hull, Larry Dutton, Dave Whitfield, Dick Whittaker, Dr. Constantine, Sponsor; Joe Holloman, Larry McCray, Don Palmer, Bob Post, Bernie Niehaus, Paul Territo, Jerry McGaughey, Tom McAllister, Larry Pipher, Joe Friend, Tom Bailey.

VETERANS' CLUB

Because of the increased enrollment of veterans, the veterans club was organized in February of 1955 in order to give the ex-G.I.'s a chance to participate in campus club activities. In the short time the club has been organized it has become one of the outstanding clubs at Vincennes University. Noel James, President; Dick Hutchison, Vice President; Christina Gabhart, Secretary; John Boyd, Treasurer.

First row: Norman Eggebrecht, Don Miley, James Hedges, R. O. Wickham, Chris Gabhart, Tom Witherspoon, Noel James, Dick Hutchison, George Whitlock. Second row: Joe Dillon, Jack Goff, Ed Thomas, John Boyd, Dick Beach, Gerald Waldrop, Willard Cockerham.





YOUNG DEMOCRATS

Don Perry, Tom Bailey, Ronald Brown, Bob Showalter, Dr. Constantine, Mr. Bradfield, Charles Catt, Robert Laird, Paul Territo, Dick Hutchison, Don Palmer.

YOUNG REPUBLICANS

Sue Gerhart, Marilyn Lee, Pat Horrall, Nancy Cadwell, Marjorie McCormick, Marilyn Horrall, Wilma Phillips, Kay Miller, Miriam Corrie, John Boyd, Mervin Sweeney, Ed Hutchcraft, Larry Dutton, Jim Croy, Tom McAllister, Jerry Fahr, James Hand, Tom Beister, Dick Beach.





ACTIVITIES





CHERRY BLOSSOM QUEEN

JUDITH "JUDY" BOYD



PROM QUEEN

JUDY NIEWALD



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QUEEN'S ATTENDANTS

GWEN BOSWELL



ELIZABETH BAILEY



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TRAILBLAZERS



Standing, left to right. Nick Siebel, Noel Carie, Bob Showalter, Bob Rout, Larry Carter. Kneeling: Larry Carie, Kenny Gray, Don Perry, Pat Gehl, Jim Sharp.

This has been a year that will long be remembered in Trailblazer basketball history. An inspired team throughout the season, they swept to a regular season high of 24 wins and only two losses. They were ranked second in the nation among Junior Colleges and they deserved every bit of it. This was the first year that Vincennes University had the honor to participate in the Junior College tournament held at Flint, Michigan. Being the favorite must have jinxed them because they lost their second game to a tough Wright of Chicago team. With several of the boys returning next year, we are sure that the honor of this year's team will be kept burning bright.



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VINCENNES UNIVERSITY
BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1955-1956

| Date | Opponent | V.U. | Opp. |
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| Nov. 19 | Belleville Jr. College | 81 | 60 |
| Nov. 22 | Lindsey Wilson College | 85 | 76 |
| Nov. 29 | Centralia Jr. College | 98 | 87 |
| Dec. 1 | Lindsey Wilson College | 105 | 55 |
| Dec. 5 | Lincoln College | 104 | 77 |
| Dec. 6 | Lincoln Bible Institute | 88 | 71 |
| Dec. 8 | Oakland City College | 92 | 77 |
| Dec. 10 | Campbellsville Jr. College | 87 | 75 |
| Dec. 13 | Lincoln College | 133 | 72 |
| Dec. 16 | Concordia College | 104 | 86 |
| Dec. 30 | Indiana Tech College | 83 | 74 |
| Jan. 3 | Marian College | 105 | 82 |
| Jan. 7 | Rio Grande College | 79 | 75 |
| Jan. 12 | Huntington College | 97 | 93 |
| Jan. 13 | Concordia College | 100 | 83 |
| Jan. 14 | Indiana Tech College | 64 | 76 |
| Jan. 17 | Lincoln Bible Institute | 107 | 61 |
| Jan. 20 | Belleville Jr. College | 85 | 65 |
| Jan. 27 | Rio Grande College | 95 | 93 |
| Jan. 30 | Paducah Jr. College | 98 | 100 |
| Feb. 4 | Harris Teachers' College | 80 | 54 |
| Feb. 11 | Campbellsville Jr. College | 108 | 97 |
| Feb. 14 | Marian College | 99 | 65 |
| Feb. 16 | Centralia Jr. College | 114 | 101 |
| Feb. 18 | Oakland City College | 113 | 91 |
| Feb. 20 | Harris Teachers' College | 76 | 67 |
| Tourney at Flint | | | |
| March 9 | Northwestern | 89 | 72 |
| March 10 | Wright | 76 | 81 |
| March 10 | Flint (Consolation) | 91 | 86 |

Congratulations to Allen Bradfield for a fine job. This year he brought even greater laurels to old V.U. when his team had a successful season of 26 wins and 3 losses. This has been a trying year for "Brad" as his Trailblazers have been plagued considerably by injuries. The slender mathematician has certainly found the right formula for a winning combination. Early in the season he decided on his "first five." His choice has proven to be a wise one as the "Big Five" has swept through virtually all competition on their way to the greatest season in Trailblazer history. We certainly hope that he has many other successful seasons in store for V.U.

Need a stepladder, Kenny?





BOB SHOWALTER



NOEL CARIE



LARRY CARIE



KENNY GREY



LARRY CARTER

THE BIG FIVE



PAT GEHL



JIM SHARP



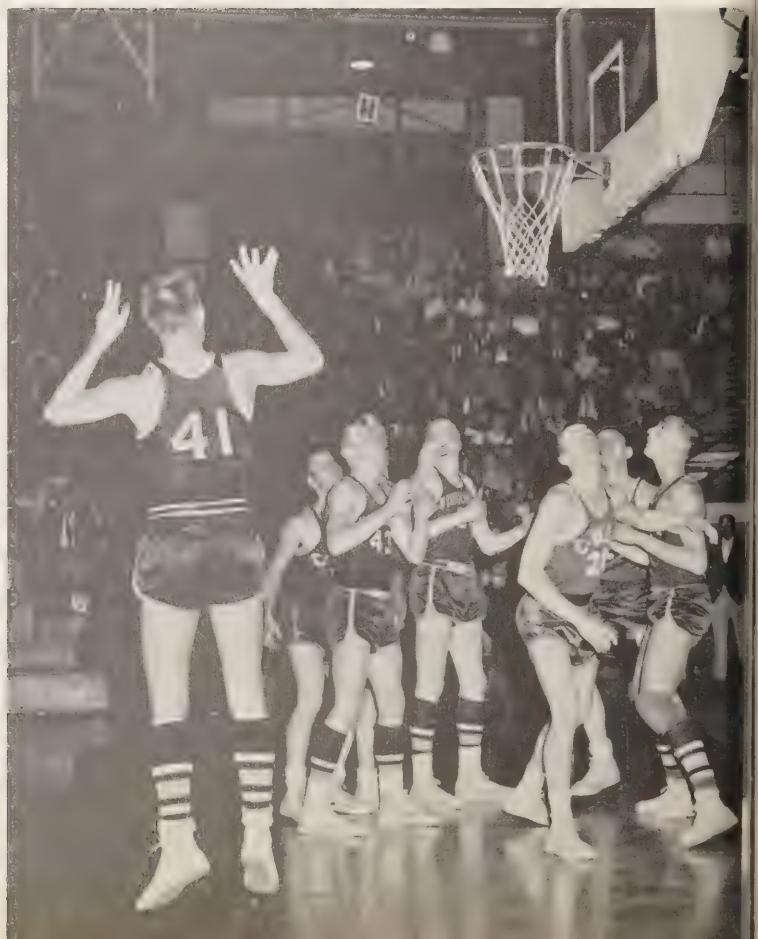
NICK SEIBEL



DON PERRY



BOB ROUT



Where is it?

THE FROSH



Standing are from left to right: Larry Yager, Boogie Pomil, Nick Seibel, Joe Hinkle, John Lannon.
Kneeling: Bud Farmer, Coach McQuaid, John Harrison.

Breath-taking, isn't it!



D R A M A A C T I V I T I E S



V.U. PLAYHOUSE is a cooperative organization as these candid shots attest. Members assisted in a festive production of Moliere's *The Doctor in Spite of Himself* in French for International Theater Week. The Presentation was directed by Miss Amy Loomis and played by members of Miss Ethel Preston's French I and II classes.





Miss Sookhi Yang performed one of her native dances at this program also.

Several students cooperated in a Holy Week Presentation of the Upper Room scene from Cowan's *Family Portrait*; taking the play to three protestant churches in three different communities.

The other pictures on this page are from the dress rehearsal of *The Devil's Disciple* by G. B. Shaw, the first production in the new auditorium.



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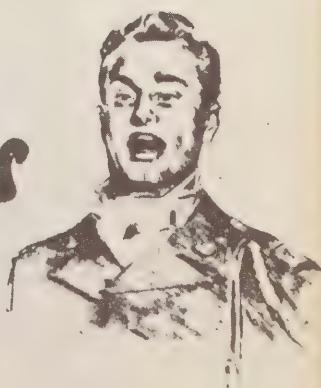
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John Langston

EVENTS

Indiana's Marching Hundred





CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. 21—All School Mixer
Sept. 25—Voice Recital—Mildred Routt Gardner
Oct. 9—President's Tea for Board and Faculty
Oct. 10—Marching Band Festival—20 High School bands and Indiana's Marching Hundred
Oct. 11—First of Series of Science Lectures by Indiana University Professors
 "Search for New Drugs" Dr. Campagne
Oct. 18—Science Lecture "Pop Goes the Mushroom" Dr. Harold J. Brodie
Oct. 25—"Mathematical Paradoxes" Dr. J. W. T. Youngs
Oct. 26—James A. Eldridge of the Indianapolis News Convocation Speaker on "The United Nations"
Oct. 28—Halloween Frolic
Oct. 30—American Woodwind Quintet from Indiana University
Nov. 1—Science Lecture "Dead Bugs in the Service of Men" Dr. Thomas G. Perry
Nov. 7—United States Navy Band
Nov. 8—Science Lecture "Ham Salad, Cream Puffs, and You." Adventures in Food Poisoning: Dr. Leland McClung
Nov. 15—Piano Concert—Ozan Marsh
Nov. 18—Thanksgiving Dance—Formal
Nov. 25—"The Devil's Disciple" by George Bernard Shaw, First Playshop Production
Nov. 30—Dr. Kurtley Mather from Harvard University
 Series of lectures on "Atomic Energy"
Dec. 5—"The Messiah"
Dec. 14—Christmas Dinner Dance
Jan. 17—Margaret White and Harp Ensemble
Jan. 27—Concordia College Chorus
Jan. 30—Danilova Ballet Troupe—World famous Ballerina
Feb. 10—Sweetheart Dance
Feb. 11—Homecoming—Massed bands under the direction of Nilo Hovey, Basketball and the Crowning of the Queen.
Feb. 12—Alumni Dinner
Feb. 14—Opera Workshop from Indiana University
Feb. 21—First of Literature Lecture Series: "Nathaniel Hawthorne" by Dr. Terence J. Martin
Feb. 28—Lecture on "Thoreau" by Dr. Milton B. Byrd
March 6—Lecture on "Emerson" by Dr. David H. Dickason
March 12—Belles of Indiana Concert
March 13—Lecture on "Mark Twain" by Dr. Josephine K. Piercy
March 20—First of Spiritual Emphasis Lectures, Dr. George Oliver Taylor, Indianapolis
April 4—"The Late Christopher Bean"—by Sydney Howard—Second Playhouse Production
April 11—Winged Victory Chorus
April 13—April Showers Dance
April 25—Second of the Spiritual Emphasis Programs—Rev. Edwin G. Kaiser, St. Joseph College, Rensselaer, Indiana
May 4—Mothers' Day Tea
May 27—Baccalaureate
June 1—Senior Prom
June 1—Commencement Speaker—Governor George C. Craig



FOREIGN STUDENTS' DAY

CONVOCATION PROGRAM NOV. 9

Welcome Dr. Isaac Beckes

Introduction of guests Dr. Preston
Prof. of Languages

Speakers Miss Zenta Kuntsmans

From Latvia, now at Indiana State Teachers' College
Dharmasena de Silva
From Ceylon, now at Evansville College

St. Francis' Prayer
Music written by
W. L. Olds

Vincennes University Ensemble
Narration by Miss Amy Loomis
Dept. of Drama

Lunch at the Coffee Shop, Sightseeing, and then the Coffee Hour in the Terrace Room for all students and faculty to meet the guests.



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The Coffee Shop is one of the friendliest spots on our campus. It is here you are welcomed by a gracious hostess, Mrs. Carter, who serves delicious home-cooked food.

An example of Mrs. Carter's personal interest in the students is the dinner party given for one of our new students, Miss Sookhi Yang. Sookhi, or Suzie, as she is more commonly known, is a Korean lass who has given us a brief glimpse into her country through her graceful dancing and her folk singing. Suzie was welcomed to our campus by Stephen Peck, who came to us last year from Korea.

This was about the last social event held in the Coffee Shop before its move into temporary quarters in the Auditorium.



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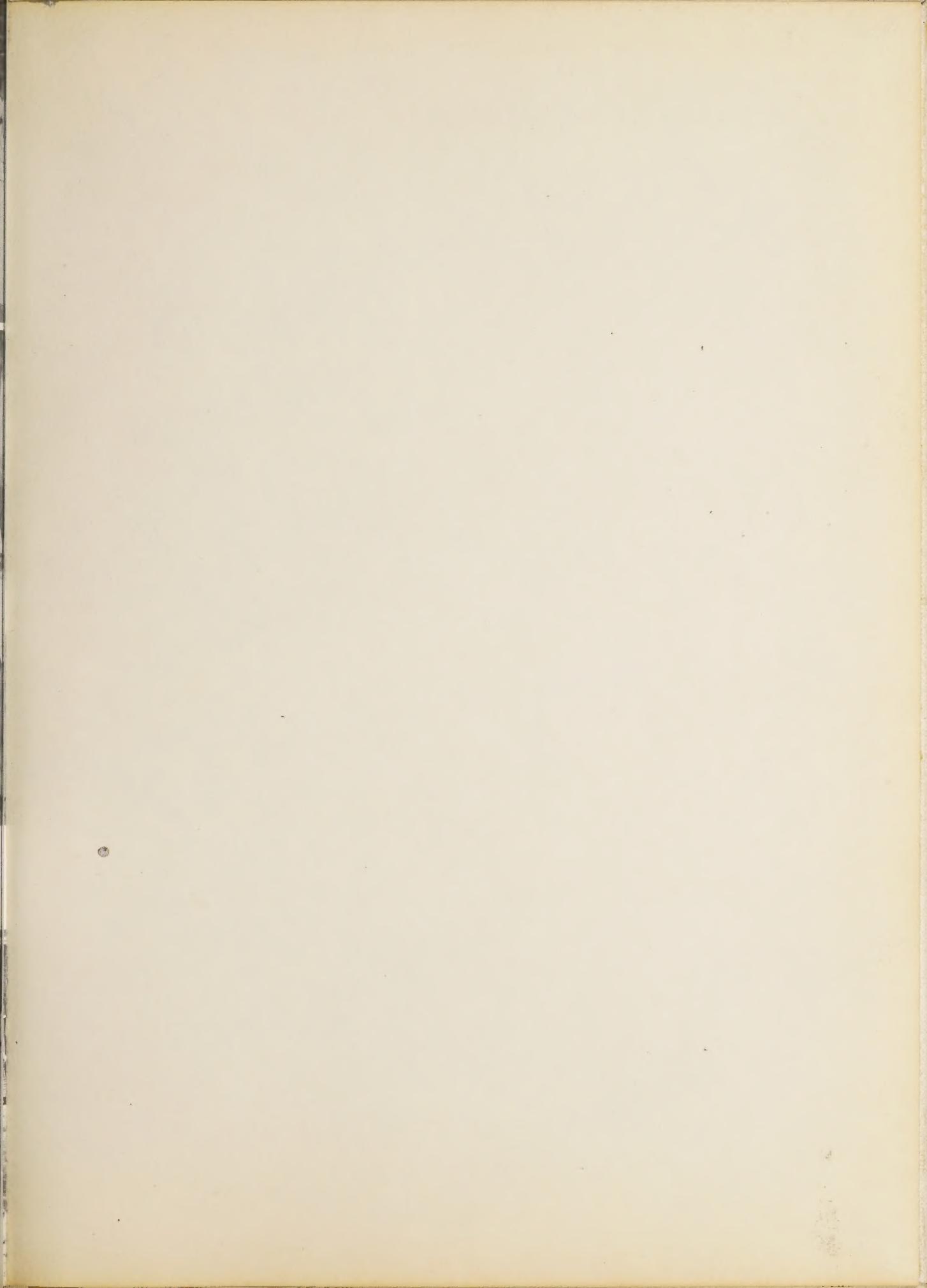


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